THE MEMBERS OF NAOM CHAPTER, NO. 3, O. F. S. will take a "Trolley Ride" to Cabin John Bridge, WEINENSDAY EVENING, July 25, after meeting of chapter. Fare 20c. Special cars will leave 1th and 6 sts. n.w. 8:30 p.m. sharp. Be at Scottish Rite Hall 7:45 p.m. ro committee will know how many are going. By order of chapter. MATTIE H. GOULD, Seey, 1t NEW JERSEY REPUBLICANS ORGANIZE! Meeting for organization on FRIDAY EVEN. ING next, July 27, at 719 6th st. nw., at 8 p.m. Hen. H. C. Loudenslager will be present and address the meeting. SURVIVORS OF THE 43D BATTALION VIR-ginia Cavalry (Mosby's) residing in this District ginia Cavairy (Mesby s) residing in this District will please mail their address to JNO. N. BAL-LAKD, Fairfax Court House, Va. 11* ROBT, M. HARROVER.

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HAMLINE M. E. CHURCH, 9TH AND P STS. N.W., Rev. W. R. Stricklen, D.D., pastor. 11 a.m., "Peace Like a River." 8 p.m., "Hewers of Wood and Drawers of Water." 6:45 p.m., Epworth Learne. Dell'GLAS M. E. CHURCH, 9:30, S. S. 11 A.M. and 8 p.m. by pastor, S. M. Hartsock, D.D. 6:45, E. L.

METROPOLITAN M. E. CHURCH, D. AND sts., Rev. Frank M. Bristol, D.D. pastor. — a.m., premelting by Rev. F. M. Bristol, p. 300, Sm day sensol, 3 p.m., Chinese Sunday school, p.m., Epworth Leigure. WESLEY CHAPEL, 5TH AND F. REV. J. isse, paster. Sunday school at 9:30; prench by Kev. F. D. Mather at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. yer meeting on Thursday evening. FOUNDRY CHURCH, 14TH AND G STS., REV. L. B. Wilsen, J.D., pastor.—Preaching at 11 a.m. on "A Celebrated Old Road," and at 8 p.m. on "Learning by Experience." S. school, 2:45 a.m.; League 7:15 p.m.; music by quartet. It WILSON MEMORIAL M. E. CHURCH, REV. A. H. Thompson pastor. 9:30 a.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., preaching by pastor; twilight song serv-ice from 7 to 8 pm.

TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, 5TH ST. AND PA. ave s.e. Rev. F. D. Huntley, LL.D., pastor. Sunday, be15 am., Sunday school; 11 a.m., preaching by the pastor; 6:30 p.m., willight service. BUMBARTON AVENUE M. E. CHURCH, BET. 31st and 32d sts. n.w., Rev. Frank H. Havenner, paster. 9:30 n.m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., preaching by the paster; 9 p.m., song service with short address; prayer meeting Thursday, at

DR. J. H. NEALE WILL SPEAK TOMORROW evening at 8 o'clock at the Church of the Blessed Hope, on 8th st. n.e. between F and G. All are invited. MCKENDREE M. E. CHURCH .-

11 a.m. Preaching by paster, Dr. Naylor, 6:30 p.m. Vesper service and brief sermon, It ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH, 15TH AND R STS. n.w. Rev. Stowell L. Biyant. 9:30, Sanday school; 11, public worship, with sermon by the paster; 8. Epworth League. It GRACE M. E. CHURCH, REV. E. L. WATSON, pastor, -11 a.m., 'The Beautiful Garments of the Church,' 8 p.m. pastor, 3.30 p.m. Brightwood Fark, Rev. W. L. Lynn, 7.30 p.m., E. L. Prayer meeting, Thursdays, 8 p.m. | 1t

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WAUGH CHURCH, 3D AND A N.E., REV. G. E.
Maydwell, pastor.—8.S., 9:15, Sermon, 11 a.m.,
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MT. VERNON PLACE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday school, 3 a.m. Christian Endeavor, 7 p.m. 1t

CONGREGATIONAL.

MT. PLEASANT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Columbia road near 14th st. n.w. The pastor, Rev. M. Ress Fishburn, will preach at 11 a.m.; C. E. at 7 p.m. FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, CORNER 10th and G sts. n.w., Rev. S. M. Newman, D. D. parsor; Rev. B. Alfred Dumm, pastor's assistant. Public worship at 11 a.m., with sermon by Rev. Mr. Dumm and music by quartet and chorus choir; S. S., 9:30 a.m.; C. E., 6:45 p.m.

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LUTHIER PLACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, THOMAS Circle, Pastor, J. G. Butler.—KELLER MEMORIAL, 9th st. n.e., Pastor, C. H. Butler.—In both churches services 11 and 8; school, 9:30 a.m.; C.E., 7 p.m.

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EPISCOPAL.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, MASS, AVE and 12th st. p.w.—8 and 11 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Dr Elliott will preach at 11 a.m.

Elliott will preach at 11 a.m. 1t ST. M.CHAEL AND ALL ANGELS' CHURCH, 22d st. near F. Rev. Wm. Turner, rector.—Serv-less 7:50, 11 and 8. The rector will preach morning and exening. All seats free. 1t.

BAPTIST.

STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, DR. J. J. MUIR, pastor. Preaching 11 a.m., "Trouble Following Fidelity;" S. p.m., "The Arrogance of Unbelief." S. S., Io a.m.; C. E., 7 p.m. Strangers invited. 1

HERROPOLITAS Williams, pastor.—S. S., 9:39, n.e., Dr. G. S. Williams, pastor.—S. S., 9:39, Young People's Union, 7 p.m. Pastor preaches 11 and S. Scats free, All invited. 11

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F. Anderson, A.M., pastor's assistant.—9:30

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a.m., sermon by the pastor; 8 p.m., sermon by

Rev. A. F. Anderson; Endeavor meetings Tuesday, 8 p.m., Sunday, 4 and 7 p.m. All are cordially invited.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 16TH ST. ABOVE Scott Circle, Dr. Charles A. Stakely, pastor.— Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; preaching, 11 a.m., by Rev. Allyn K. Foster of New Haven, Conn. 11

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ELDER J. T. ROWE, O. S. BAPTIST, WILL, preach in Wonn's Hall, 721 6th st. n.w., to-

GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH, 9TH AND D S.E. Sunday school 9:20 a.m. Preaching services at

FIRST HOLINESS CHURCH, REV. JOSEPH S. Dempster, paster, 4th and East Capitol sts.—Preaching, 10:30 a.m.; preaching, 7:30 p.m. All

VERMONT AVENUE CHURCH. PASTOR'S TOP-les: 11, "No Rain;" 8, "Christian in the House of Interpreter;" 8, 8, 9:30; C, E., 7, Whitney Avenue Memorial, Pastor Kimmell.—Usual

CHRISTADELPHIAN.

WASHINGTON ECCLESIA, 316 PA. AVE. S.E.— Every Sunday at 3 p.m. Subject: "Why These Wars and Rumors of War? And There Shall Be a Time of Trouble Such as Never Was Since There Was a Nation."

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UNITARIAN.

ALL SOULS' CHURCH, 14TH AND L STS, N.W.

-Young People's Religious Union, Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Leader, Miss Ethel Tibbetts,
Subject, "The Influence of Ideals." All cordially
invited.

FRIENDS.

MEETING OF THE SOCIETY OF FRIENDS AT 1811 1 st. n.w., at 11 o'clock; Bible class at 12

PRIENIS MEETING (ORTHODOX), 1ST AND C sts. n.e.-Bible school, 9:45 s.m.; meeting for worship, 11 a m.; C. E., 6 p m.; mid-week meet-ing, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. All are invited. 1t

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SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, Hall 1213–12th st. n.w. Services, Sunday: 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., swiject, "Love;" Sunday school, 12 m.; Wednesday, 8 p.m. It

Services at 3:39 o'clock Sunday afternoon and 8 o'clock Wednesday evening in Confederate Veternos' Hall, No. 431 11th st. n.w. At the Sunday service old Oliver C. Sabin will deliver the lecture. All are confainly invited.

OTHER SERVICES.

WESLEVAN PENTECOSTAL CHURCH, ACADEMY

or Music bidg. 9th and D sts. n.w.—S. S. 9:30 a.m.; preaching tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. by Rev. C. T. Johnson of New York; week night services: Tuesdays, general praise and experi-ence meeting. Fifday, regular church prayer meeting. All cordially invited.

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ECKINGTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, N. CAP. and Q sts., Rev. George S. Duncan, Ph.D., pas-tor.—11 a.m., "The Message of Naaman's Life." 3:30, Sunday school. 7:20, C. E. 1t Neglige Shirts Bloomed Quite Numer-METROPOLITAN PRESENTERIAN CHURCH,
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E., 7 p.m. All cordially invited. ously Today. A STAR REPORTER'S EXPERIENCE

NEW YORK AVENUE PRESETTERIAN CHURCH, Dr. Wallace Radeliffe, pastor.—Services at 11 a.m., and 8 p.m. by Rev. W. L. McEwan, D.D., of Third Presbyterian Church, Pittsburg, Fa.: music led by quartet choir, directed by Mr. J. Perter Lawrence, organist; 6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor Society. Communications on the All-Absorb-FIRST PRESE CHURCH, 4% ST. N.W.-MAJ. Fred Gardner of the H. B. C. M. will preach at 11 a.m.; subject. "Defense of the Evangelical Church." No evening service. ing Subject.

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Teunls S. Hemlin, D.D., pastor.—The Rev.
Henry H. Stebbins, D.D., pastor of the Central
Presbyterian Church of Rochester, N. Y., will
presch tomorrow at 11 a.m.; C. E. meeting at 7
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o'clock.

The woes and horrors of the summer solstice. Or shuck our coats, despite the flouts of fashion, And by opposing end them?—To shuck,—to cool,—No more;—and by a cool to say we end. The headache, prickly heat and other shocks. Warm flesh is heir to. "Tis a consummation beyontly to be wished. To shuck,—to cool,— WESTERN CHURCH, H BET, 19TH AND 20TH sts. n.w., Gerhart A. Wilson, paster, 11 a.m., "Lather as a Protestant;" 7:30 p.m., Christian Endeavor meeting; remarks by the paster. It THE EASTERN PRESBYTERIAN,
6th st. and Maryland ave. n.e.,
Rev. Thomas Chalmers Easton, D.D., Pastor,
11 a.m., "THE OLD BENEDICTION."
This will be the pastor's closing sermon for
the summer. To cool, perchance catch cold;—ay, there's the rub. For through our negliges what draughts may come When we have shucked our heat-enhancing coats That makes malaria of so long life For who would bear the nincties in the shade FOURTH PRES. CHURCH, 13TH AND YALE sis., Rev. Joseph T. Kelly, pastor. Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m.; preaching by pastor, 11 a.m.; C. E. Society, 7 p.m. Strangers welcome. It The oppressive air; the old maid's contumely; The pangs of perspiration; the delay. And insolence of icemen, and the spurns That patient merit of the unworthy takes. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, 23D ST. N.W. NEAR Washington Circle, Rev. Alfred Harding, rector. All seats free — Services, 7:30 and 11 a.m. and 8 p.m., Sunday school, 10 a.m. All welcome, 1t But that the dread of lovely woman's scorn— Flashed from bright eyes to overwhelm and blight 8 p.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m. all wearant.
GRACE CHURCH, 9TH AND D STS, S.W., REV.
Chas, F. Sontag, rector. Holy eucharist at 7:30
a.m.; morning prayer and sermon at 11; evening
prayer at 5:30. Seats free. Strangers cordially
invited. Thus conscience does make cowards of us all, And thus the neglige of resolution Is sicklied o'er with the pale cast of coat.

ST. MARK'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, 3D AND A STS. s.e. -7:30 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., morn-ing service and sermon; 8 p.m., evening prayer and sermon. Strangers welcome. It A Star Reporter Left His Off. A good many more of them had 'em off and sermon. Strangers welcome. It
ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, 14TH AND CORcoran sts. n.w., Rev. J. B. Perry, rector. Celebration of the holy communion, 7:30 o'clock; morning prayer, 11 o'clock; evening prayer, 8 o'clock. today, though, than on any day since the anti-coat crusade began, and they looked and were so comfortable, comparatively, in o'clock.

TRINITY CHURCH, 3D AND C STS N.W. REV. Richard P. Williams, rector.—Services at 7:30 and 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, GEORGETOWN, O ST. bet, 32d and 33d, Rev. Frank H. Barton, rector.—Services temorroy: Hely communion, 7:30 a.m.; meening prayer and sermon, 11; evening prayer and address at 6. Straugers cordially invited. Wednesday (St. James' day), hely communion, 9:30 a.m. 11 their negliges that many others were nearly at the point to be courageous if not conven tional, and it will only be a day or two of



of his belongings, and the bulge in his neg-lige shirt above the belt held others. He had observed that ladies utilized their shirt waists for carrying overplus articles that purse and chatelaine could not accommo-

however, conscious that he was covered, so far as cuticle was concerned, as thoroughly as if he had worn two coats and an ulster.

An Incident. Some ladies he observed, and one in particular, were not as entirely proper in this respect as The Star man. The particular one sat in front of The Star man in an F street car. The upper part of the neglige attire she wore was of network with meshes about as big as those of a minnow seine. This diaphanous construction reached down her back to where the lace-bordered what - d'ye - call - 'em that women wear reached. Near the maid's left shoulder reached. Near the maid's left shoulder biade and co-distant from where her spinal column probably was—she was very plump—was a brown mole. Now it peeped out through the open mesh and again it was hidden by the thread work. It was a very fascinating mole, and, singular to relate, The Star man has one in nearly the same location of his anatomy. The man seated behind The Star man, however, could not see the latter's mole because the madras neglige was not sufficiently transparent. But there is a world of rumination in the coincidence, however, when the propriety of coincidence, however, when the propriety of the shirt waist versus the neglige is being

Approved by the Ex-Iceman. The stout man who rejoiced during his congressional career in the refreshing sobriquet of "Iceman" Turner hailed The Star

man gleefully. "I envy you," he said, swabbing his brow; "I'd go that way myself, but I can't keep my trousers up with When an iceman, either active or retired, approves the neglige little else remains to

be said in its favor. But even a neglige was a burden today when the heat was considered. The tem-perature yesterday had driven away all the effects of the rain of the night before, so far as humanity's feelings were concerned, and this morning as soon as the sun rose its rays gave token of being relentless and determined to become more so as the orb crossed the heavens. They kept up this promise to the full, and but for a fresh northwest breeze locomotion over the furnace-like pavements would have been dangerous as well as discomforting.

Four Degrees Higher.

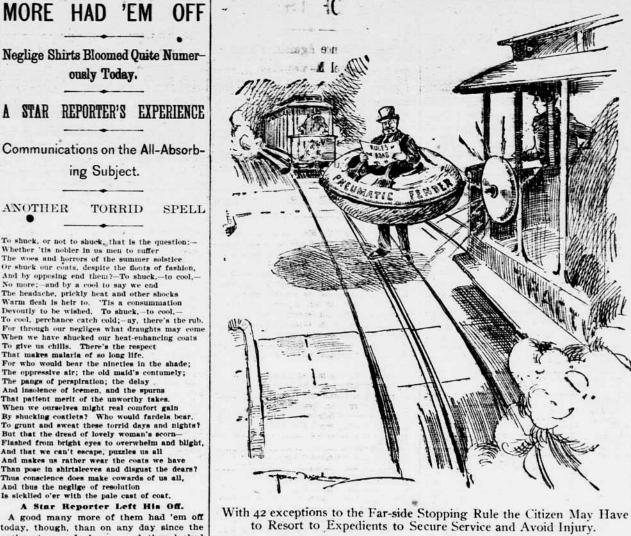
At 9 o'clock every down-town thermometer showed an advance of four or five dethe standard instrument at Affleck's drug store registered 87%, or four and a half de grees more. At noon it was four degrees ahead at 94, and kept up this average at the 2 o'clock record, with 97, being within 21/4 degrees of the highest mark it has reached any day of the present term of intempera-

any day of the present term of intemperature.

Less conscientious instruments cheerily
let the mercury go above the 100 mark at
the same hour, but the weather bureau instrument, by reason of its delightful situation on top of the building in a Venetian
blinded construction where suns rays cannot enter, was four degrees lower than
Affleck's, its high mark being 93 at 1:50
o'clock, or just four degrees ahead of the
same time twenty-four hours ago. At 2
o'clock the mercury had backed to 92. If
it only appreciated how grateful several
million people in the misery-ridden middle
Atlantic states would be if it would keep
on going back at that rate, it would give,
doubtless, a couple of hours to the pastime and the seventies would be here. But
mercury is such a volatile creature that any
persistence except in high kicking is repugnant to it.

The weather bureau men promise local

The weather bureau men promise local rains tonight and cooler weather. If these blessings materialize they can have another



To the Editor of The Evening Star:

In regard to the movement of "coats off" I would like to suggest, if you will allow me to use a slang expression, that you "push it along." Because the idea is new you have no doubt noticed that men are rather dublous about appearing on the streets without their coats, but once get the movement started and its success is beyon! all doubt. Can anybody explain why a man, attired in a nice-looking shirt, with a turned-down collar and belt, should not appear on the streets without a coat any-more than thousands of women who are doing the same thing every day? I think most women are broad enough and humane enough to see this thing in the right light and will do all they can to further the custom; those that oppose it will be so few that their murmurings of discontent will soon disappear. E. A. C.

A Woman Says Men Lack Courage. Many men no doubt read the suggestions which you recently made in The Star, and agreed in your sentiments, but did not have the courage to make a digression upon a time-honored custom. At the lunch hour I noticed a gentleman had really dared to appear among the hundreds around the tables in the court in his neglige shirt. tables in the court in his neglige shirt, minus his coat. Upon looking around and seeing no other in like attire I inquired his name, and found that he was a veteran of the civil war. I then came to the conclusion that as he had faced bullets he could face what might be said of his sensible action against fashion. No one had the temerity to ridicule him in the example he set for others to follow.

July 19, 1900. MRS. L. E. S.

Another Woman's Reason Why.

Will you kindly allow one woman to say why it is one thing for her to wear the so-called "shirt waist," and quite another for a man to doff his coat and show to the world a creased and often unsightly undergarment? For this is the real ques-Isfaction.

He was regarded with glances of approval mostly, but there were frequent marks of disdain, and several females who never told the census man their ages shifted at him scornfully. He pursued his placid way, and saw neat blouse effects, finished at the was covered so the wast with a rather duding again, and, or a modification of the French blouse, with belt and buckle, should suggest itself to your men tailors. Then, with kneepants and long stockings—"an' the man have a leg"-the picturesque is accomplished an

leg—the picturesque is accomplished and scruples satisfied.

When the present growing feminine fashion shall entirely drive out aping masculinity, and our soft collars and ruffled wrists change the name of what will be "shirt walsts" no longer, our ladies will keep cool as now, but no one will make the great mistake of thinking that we "throw off our coats" to bring it about. We don't wear coats as a general thing, and men do. Ours are put on to warm us; theirs discarded to meet the exigency of this weather.

Another thing, don't call the new garment a shirt! "It's the idea of the mouse!"

FRANCES NEWCOMB. scruples satisfied.

To the Editor of The Evening Star:

We would whisper in the ear of those women who are seeking to destroy men's respect for women that men do not appreciate too much laxity either in manners, or principle, accorded by some women, as it detracts from their manliness. The effort now being made to induce men to discard their coats is a movement calculated to defeat this oblest, a movement which if entheir coats is a movement calculated to defeat this object, a movement which, if encouraged, is the beginning of masculine decadence, and retrograding from the civilized customs of decent society. We acknowledge the heat is, and has been, most oppressive, woman suffering equally with man, as her shirt waist, so constantly alluded to, is but the outer covering of several layers of garments. The fashion of their wear was not inaugurated to protect their wear was not inaugurated to protect them from sultry weather, but from a love of change. Women like change and economy, and the frequent comfort of fresh laundered clothing. The neglige shirt for men is not what men in office require, for to be neat and effective the collar and the must be worn, and the changes required would be costly. The coat of a few ounces' weight has no such objection, and covers the unseemly suspenders, the soiled shirt and the surrounding atmosphere is less offensive and more sanitary. The widest stretch of the imagination cannot accept as a pleasing spectacle men in shirt sleeves, bare arms and necky, bared to the limit, and dependent women have only to endure in silence. their wear was not inaugurated to protec

In silence.

The plea is put forward to excuse men from wearing coats and sitting in shirt-sleeves that man has graciously accepted woman and granted her a seat beside himself in all public pursuits. We smile increduously at this announcement. Innovations against the proprieties and social amenities of life are apt to lead to excesses in the license and liberty granted. We are old-fashioned enough to believe that man's greatest and highest respect is for womanly women, who are not striving that man's greatest and highest respect is for womanly women, who are not striving to reverse all the natural relations of life, and court the dismal failure of usurping a man's position. The advanced idea of woman's progress in this age is the most lamentable failure of home training, so apparent in the rudeness and discourtesy of young men and women, the latter particularly, with whom we come in contact every day. We have faith that the more refined American womanhood will exact, and receive, the manly, courteous respect of true men and gentlemen, and the observance of the decencies of civilized life. Turn those shirt-waisted young men loose upon the

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavora-Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocer's today. 10 cents,

cakewalk with the Marine Band thrown in by a grateful community.

To the Editor of The Evening Star:

In regard to the movement of "coats off" I would like to suggest, if you will allow me to use a slang expression, that you me to use a slang expression, that you REFRIGERATOR. from Chinese troops and in imminent dan-ger of massacre; this news disposed offectually of supposed details of the massa-cre already received and spurred the energies of the powers to the work of effecting a rescue; the allied troops at Tien Tsin Keep on the Coat.

To the Editor of The Evening Star: 9th United States Infantry being sadly cut up, among the killed being Colonel Apropos the "off with your coats" discussion now in progress in your excellent paper I would be thankful if you will grant paper I would be thankful if you will grant me space for a few words. The tendency to disregard and obliterate the conventionalities universally recognized as the product of the most advanced civilization ever known to the world, the direct result of an effort to maintain a high and safe social system, is to be deplored, no matter where it may manifest itself. This latest burst of eloquence with regard to a partial disrobing of the men (a thing not desired by the vast majority of us, I feel sure, and especially by the better class) because of a few unusually warm days is on a par with many other such delirious ravings that from time to time interrupt the serene progress of a grand conventionality, which with an all-powerful grasp keeps in check these puny efforts to disturb its foundation principles. There is no just reason why man should abandon the conventional coat and vest and present himself among our mothers, sisters and daughters in a haliciad condition. The results do not justify the proceeding. Innate refinement Chinese attacked the Russian town of Elagovestchensk and were later repelled with heavy losses; the St. Petersburg government declared that a state of war existed in certain districts in eastern Russian Asla; it was reported that the Chinese government had appealed to France to mediate with the foreign powers; Li Hung Chang started from Canton to Pekin at the command of the government; President McKinley designated W. W. Rockhill, chief of the bureau of American republics, as special commissioner to visit China and represent the United States in future negotiations and actions; the President returned to Washington from Canton, Ohio, and after a consultation with the cabinet decided that it was unnecessary to summon Congress in extra session on account of the Chinese troubles; he then returned to Canton. The Navy Department announced a decision to recruit the marine corps to its full strength of 6,000 men. After a consultation with General Wood, governor general of Cuba, the President decided to withdraw all American troops from Cuba within eight or nine months; it was reported to have been decided further to hold the general insular elections September 15. The President promoted Brigadier General A R. Chaffee, recently appointed to commothers, sisters and daughters in a hali-ciad condition. The results do not justify the proceeding. Innate refinement will compel 98 per cent of our American men to recognize this fact, and no amount of persuasion will avail to induce them to en-ter the presence of those whom they most respect in this undignified and ludicrous outfit. The heated term is an annual oc-currence, and men should provide for its needs, just as surely as they do for those of winter. Let them discard the warm, woolen clothing and avail themselves of the delightfully cool fabries which modern manufacture puts so easily within our reach. Their name is legion, and many of them combine elegance and comfort in the The President promoted Brigadler General A R. Chaffee, recently appointed to command the United States forces in China, to the rank of major general of volunteers. Veterans of the federal and conf. derute armies met in reunion at Atlanta, Ga. The Southern Industrial League assembled in the same city. The National League of Republican Clubs met at St. Paul and elected Isaac M. Hamilton of Chicago as president; Governor Roosevelt addressed the meeting. The War Department was informed that smallpox had broken out at Cape Nome and that starvation had begun among the improvident miners. John G. Woolley, pro-

reach. Their name is legion, and many of them combine elegance and comfort in the highest degree. There are linen, crash and duck suits, silk pongee, alpaca, very light serges, flannels and many more which leave no excuse for a coatless man.

From an aesthetic point of view, I am sure, the present style of dress is beyond reproach. For beauty and utility the world has never known better. With regard to the detail of expense, when investigated the right way will be found as economical, if not more so, than its shiftless substitute. It is to be regretted that ladies favor this command the respect which is their right.

There is no ground of hope for the coatless man. He is an abomination, and as such will not be tolerated. Let the great majority of men and women who recognize in this a mistaken idea gallantly stand by our present social usages, for this passby our present social usages, for this passing fancy of the few will surely disappear before the disapproving frown of an intelli-gent and refined community.

A MAN.

SHOWERS LATE TONIGHT. Fair and Cooler Weather Indicated for Sunday.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Sunday.-For the Disrict of Columbia and Maryland, showers and cooler late tonight; fair and cooler Sunday; light southerly, shifting to north-

westerly winds.

For Virginia, showers and cooler late tonight, except fair in southeast portion.

Sunday showers in eastern portion, fair in
western; westerly, shifting to northerly

winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast: The barometer is relatively high this morning in the Mississippi valley and lake regions. It is also high off the Maine coast and over the south Atlantic states. A slight depression covers the St. Lawrence valley and a second depression is central over eastern Montana.

Local rains and thunder storms have occurred from the middle Mississippi valley northeastward to the lower lake region. Thunder storms have also occurred in eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

There has been a marked fall in tempera-

There has been a marked fall in temperature in the lower lake region, the central Mississippi and Ohio valleys. The temperature is above the seasonal average this morning from the middle Atlantic states southwestward to the gulf states.

Local rains and cooler weather late tonight and Sunday are indicated for the middle Atlantic and New England states, Maryland, the District of Columbia and Virginia.

On the New England coast the winds will On the New England coast the winds will be light to fresh southerly, shifting to nontherly and westerly. On the middle Atlantic coast fresh southerly, shifting to northwesterly winds will prevail. On the south Atlantic coast the winds will be light to fresh southwesterly.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: Lake, Miss., 1.90; Bollvar, Tenn., 1.78.

Records for Twenty-Four Hours.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours begin-

bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:
Thermometer: July 20-4 p.m., 91; 8 p.m., 84; 12 midnight, 78. July 21-4 a.m., 76; 8 a.m., 81; 12 noon, 89; 2 p.m., 92. Maximum, 33, at 1:50 p.m. July 21; minimum, 75, at 5 a.m. July 21.
Barometer: July 20-4 p.m., 29.94; 8 p.m., 29.93; 12 midnight, 29.95. July 21-4 a.m., 29.93; 8 a.m., 30.01; noon, 30.00; 2 p.m., 30.00.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 88; condition, 4; receiving reservoir, temperature, 88; condition at north connection, 36; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 87; condition at influent gate house, 36; effluent gate house, 36. Up-River Water.

The B. and O. agent at Harper's Ferry reports Potomac river cloudy and Shenan-doah river muddy at that point this morn-Tide Table. Today—Low tide, 9:58 a.m. and 10:09 p.m.; high tide, 3:08 a.m. and 3:36 p.m. Tomorrow—Low tide, 10:59 a.m. and 11:11 p.m.; high tide, 4:11 a.m. and 4:47 p.m.

The City Lights. The city lights and naphtha lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; extinguishing begun one hour before sunrise. All are and incandescent lamps lighted fifteen minutes after sunset and extinguished forty-five minutes before sunrise. FINANCIAL.

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THE WEEK ENDING JULY 21, 1900.

The Secretary of State received, through

the efforts of Minister Wu, a dispatch from

Minister Conger, at Pekin, supposedly sent

on the 18th, stating that he was then in

the British legation, under continuous fire

suffered a defeat early in the week, the

Emerson H. Liseum and other American officers; later the allies carried the rative

President promoted Brigadier Genera

improvident miners. John G. Woolley, pro-hibition candidate for President, was form

pestal embezzler. A fire at Prescott, Ariz.,

did \$1,000,000 damage. United States Sen-ator John H. Gear of lowa died in Wash-ington and was buried in Iowa.

Foreign Affairs.

relief of Kumassi, Ashanti, besieged since April. The governor of Bombay reported

to London that 6,474 persons died of cholera

in the Indian famine districts in the week

ended July 7. The Shah of Persia visited

Czar Nicholas at St. Petersburg. The Rou-

Czar Nicholas at St. Fetersourg. The kou-manian cabinet resigned. President Loubet reviewed the Mediterranean and channel squadrons. Severe éarthquakes at Caracas, Venezuela, did considerable damage. An eruption of Mount Azuma, in Japan, killed or mounted noward of 900 persons. The

or wounded upward of 200 persons. The annual session of the world's Christian Endeavor convention was begun in London with an attendance of about 20,000 persons,

In the District.

The Commissioners sought to arrange a

schedule of street car stops at certain

crossings in the hope of reducing to a mini-

mum the chances of collisions with fire ap-

paratus. The District National Guard went

into annual camp at Gaithersburg, Md.

Mary Freeman, colored, twenty-five years old, was taken sick in Iowa Circle about 6 o'clock yesterday. She was removed to her home, No. 1640 Vermont avenue in the pa-

MEN OF AFFAIRS

NEED PROPER FOOD TO SUPPLY THE BRAIN

The "Medical Sentinel" comments on the rest

less brain worker of our large cities and refers to the fact that he thinks he knows as much about the needs of the brain, when he is tired and shows

brain fag, as a trained practitioner.

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on until suddenly he collapses, for brain fag is a

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an active brain worker—a man of affairs—when he shows symptoms of breaking down. Either he must quit work or be must have food that will re-place the structure of brain and nerve centers as

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through the pores of the body shows that after

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